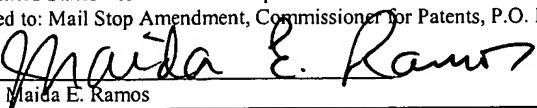


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AMENDMENT

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This is in response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on **July 13, 2005**.

Applicants hereby submit the following response. A petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month is included herewith, which extends the due date from **August 13, 2005** to **September 13, 2005**. The one-month extension fee of **\$120.00** for a large entity can be charged to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing Atty. Dkt. No. 05911.0006.CNUS04. It is believed that no additional fees are required. However, if any fees are required to maintain the pendency of the instant Application, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing Atty. Dkt. No. 05911.0006.CNUS04.

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